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In Re Application of)
Edward G. Tiedemann et al.) For: Method and System for Changing
Serial No. 09/882,430) Forward Traffic Channel Power
Filed: June 14, 2001) Allocation During Soft Handoff
)) Group Art Unit: 2661

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